

# Defense Acquisition Executive



## *The Defense Certificate of Recognition for Acquisition Innovation*

**Presented to**

**The Radiation Hardened Foundry Modernization Activity  
BAE Systems Team**

**Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA)**

The Radiation Hardened Foundry Modernization Activity - BAE Systems Team provided exemplary performance in the development of Radiation Hardened Microelectronics Technology capabilities, uniquely needed by the Department of Defense for weapons and space systems that must operate effectively in severe radiation environments. The team established a modern foundry at BAE, qualified fabrication tools, successfully achieved all ten Key Performance Parameter Thresholds, with eight exceeding project goals. The team demonstrated process maturity in all aspects of the program at BAE Systems and completed the project significantly under cost and schedule. Cumulative savings to date have exceeded five million dollars.

**January 4, 2006**

Date

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Under Secretary of Defense  
(Acquisition, Technology and Logistics)

